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Application No.: 10/086,397 Group Art Unit: 2675  
Filed: March 1, 2002 Examiner: M.-H. Liu  
Title: REFLECTIVE MICROELECTRICAL MECHANICAL STRUCTURE  
(MEMS) OPTICAL MODULATOR AND OPTICAL DISPLAY SYSTEM

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE  
TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

September 2, 2004

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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Sir:

In response to the Restriction/Election Requirement mailed June 2, 2004, Applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I, namely, claims 1-5, 11-21 and 28, drawn to a display engine. Having made this election, Applicant expressly reserves the right to file one or more divisional applications on the subject matter of the non-elected claims. Favorable action is hereby earnestly solicited.

If this response is not considered timely filed and if a request for an extension of time is otherwise absent, Applicant hereby requests any necessary extension of time. If there is a fee occasioned by this response, including an extension fee, please charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-0463.

Respectfully submitted,  
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